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A VITAL BOOK

PLASTIC MAN

in

The Gay Nineties Nightmare!

FOUR BIG
**PLASTIC
MAN**
STORIES...
Packed with
Thrills, Chills
and **LAFFS!**



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PLASTIC MAN

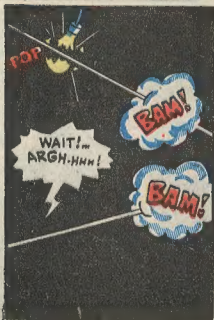
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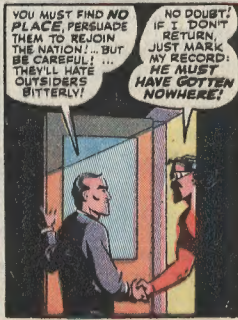
IT'S NOT A MASQUERADE BALL OR A COSTUME PARTY! IT'S PLASTIC MAN AND HIS PAL, WOODY WINKS, IN A WEIRD, WACKY CITY THAT WAS LOST FIFTY YEARS AGO... WHEN THE GAY NINETIES WERE AT THEIR GAYEST AND GOOFIEST!

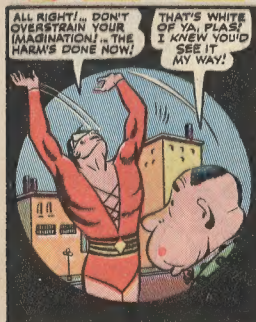




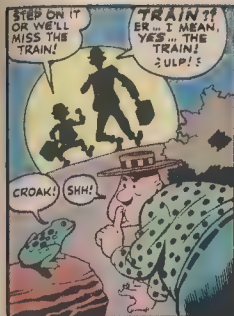


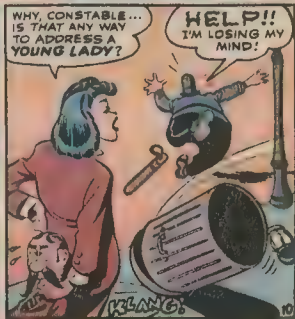
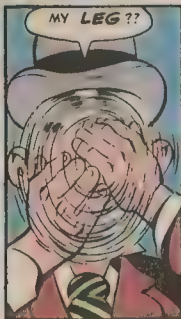


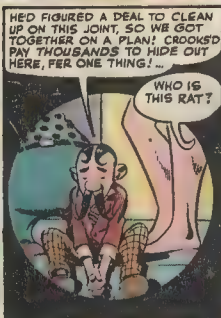
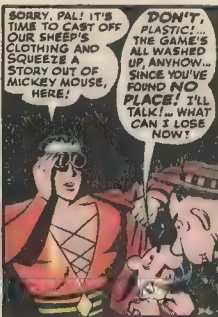
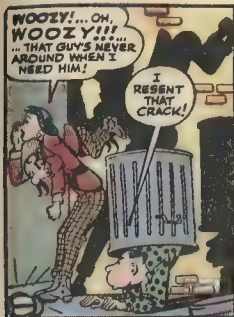


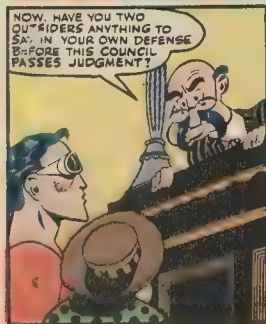
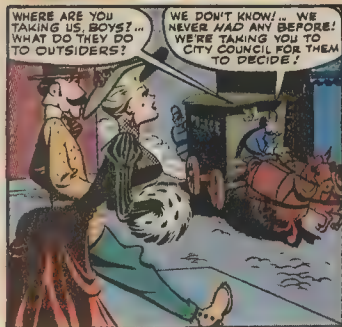
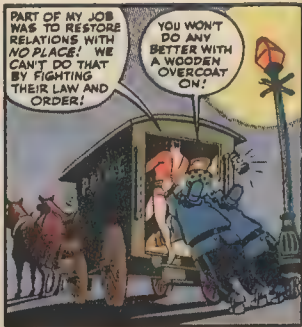
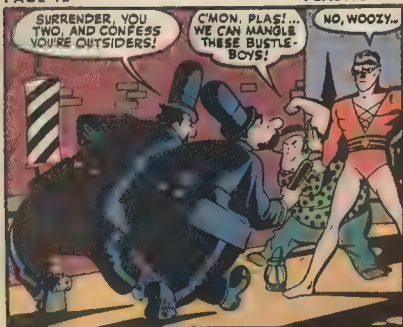


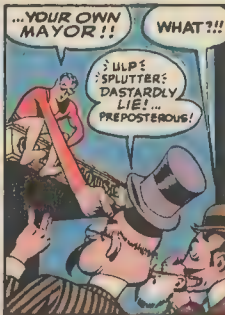
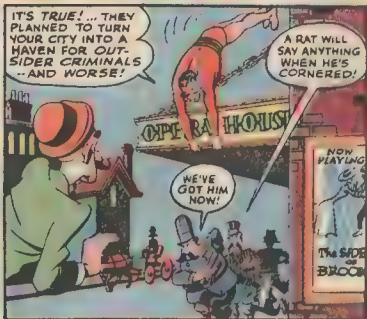
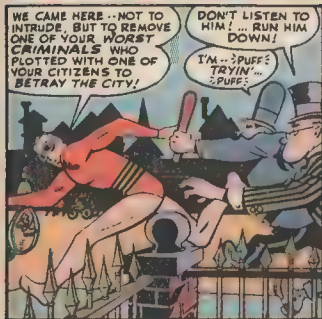
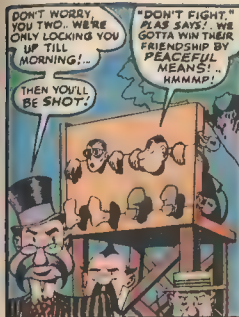


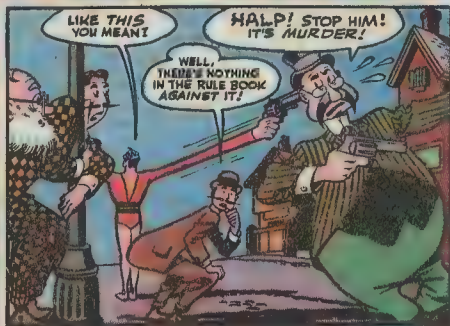
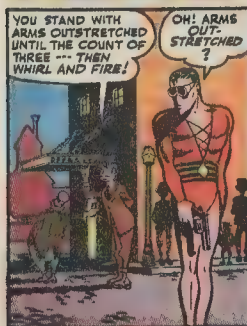
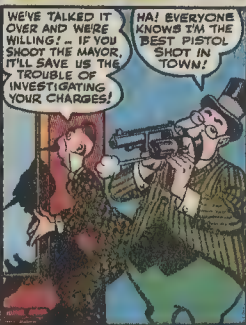










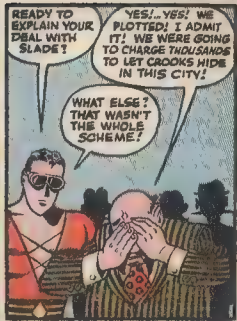




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TWO.....



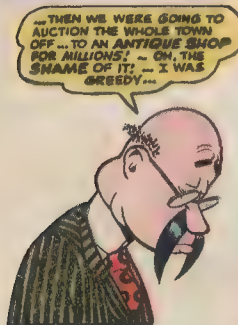
THR...
NO!... STOP THE
DUEL! I WITHDRAW!
I CONFESS... ANYTHING!
BUT MAKE HIM TAKE
HIS HAND AWAY!



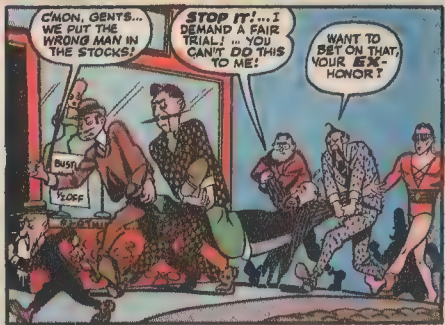
READY TO
EXPLAIN YOUR
DEAL WITH
SLADE?

YES!... YES! WE
PLOTTED! I ADMIT
IT! WE WERE GOING
TO CHARGE THOUSANDS
TO LET CROOKS HIDE
IN THIS CITY!

WHAT ELSE?
THAT WASN'T
THE WHOLE
SCHEME!



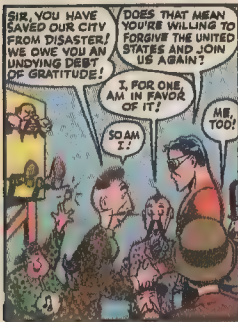
...THEN WE WERE GOING TO
AUCTION THE WHOLE TOWN
OFF ... TO AN ANTIQUE SHOP
FOR MILLIONS! ~ ON THE
SHAME OF IT! ~ I WAS
GREEDY...



C'MON, GENTS...
WE PUT THE
WRONG MAN IN
THE STOCKS!

STOP IT!... I
DEMAND A FAIR
TRIAL! ... YOU
CAN'T DO THIS
TO ME!

WANT TO
BET ON THAT,
YOUR EX-
HONOR!



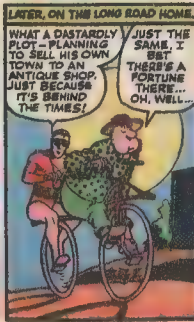
SIR, YOU HAVE
SAVED OUR CITY
FROM DISASTER!
WE OWE YOU AN
UNDYING DEBT
OF GRATITUDE!

DOES THAT MEAN
YOU'RE WILLING TO
FORGIVE THE UNITED
STATES AND JOIN
US AGAIN?

I, FOR ONE,
AM IN FAVOR
OF IT!

SO AM
I!

MR.
TOO!



LATER, ON THE LONG ROAD HOME.

WHAT A DASTARDLY
PLOT - PLANNING
TO SELL HIS OWN
TOWN TO AN
ANTIQUITY SHOP.
JUST BECAUSE
IT'S BEHIND
THE TIMES!

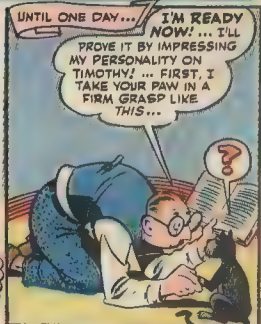
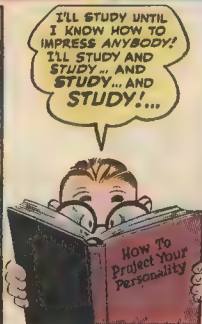
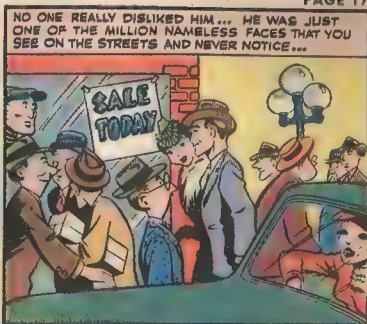
JUST THE
SAME, I
BET
THERE'S A
FORTUNE
THERE...
OH, WELL...



FINALLY, BACK IN CAPITAL CITY...

WELL, BE
SEEN' YOU
AROUND, PLAS,
OL' BOY!





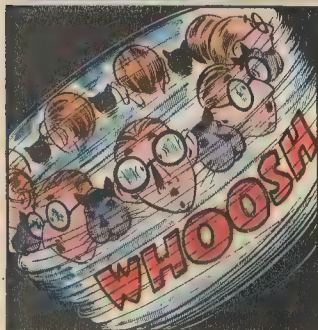
GOOD HEAVENS!... I IMPRESSED MY PERSONALITY ON THE CAT SO MUCH THAT WE CHANGED PLACES!



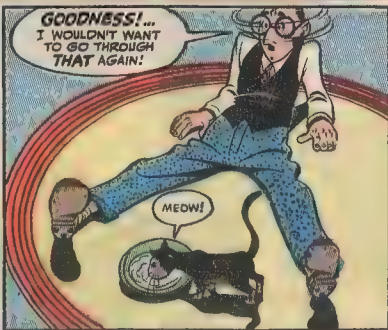
THIS IS AWFUL!... HORRIBLE!... IF I CAN'T WORK THIS IN REVERSE, I'LL BE A C-CAT ALL MY LIFE!!



MEOW!... I MADE HIM TAKE MY PAW!... NOW IF I CAN HOLD HIS EYES LONG ENOUGH AND...



GOODNESS!... I WOULDN'T WANT TO GO THROUGH THAT AGAIN!



I STUDIED MY LESSONS TOO WELL!... NOW WHAT AM I GOING TO DO? I CAN'T GO AROUND JUST CHANGING INTO PEOPLE!...

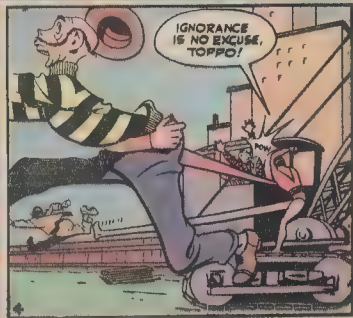
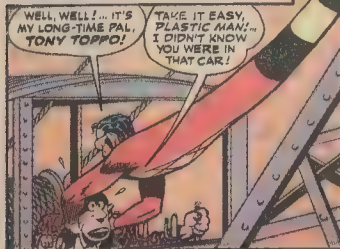
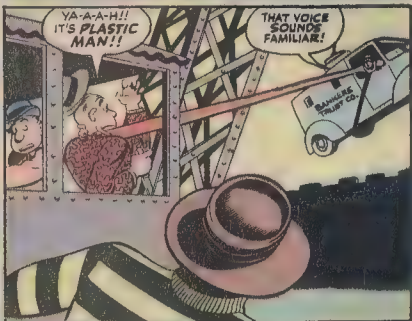
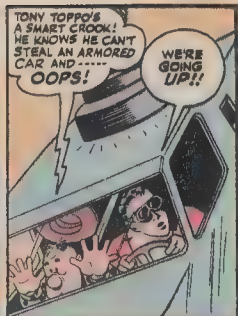
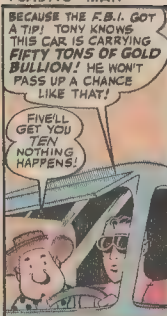
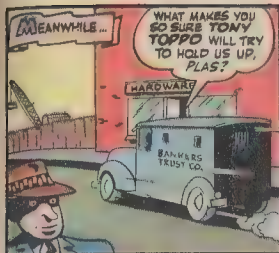


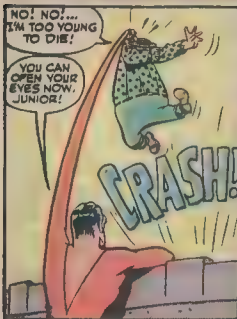
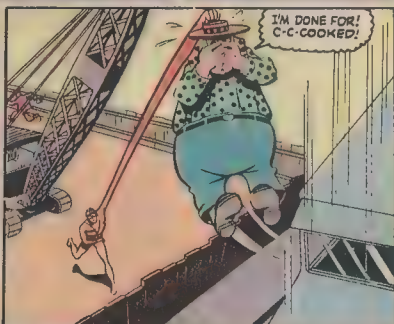
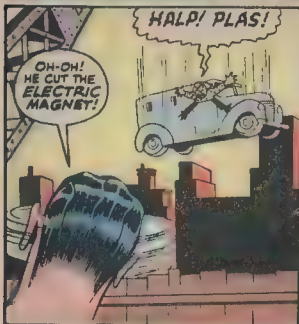
...OR CAN I?

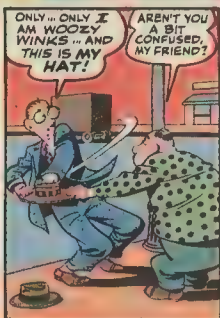
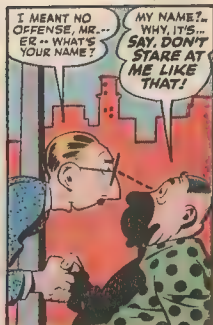


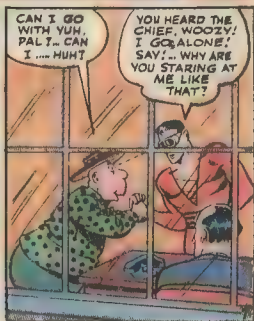
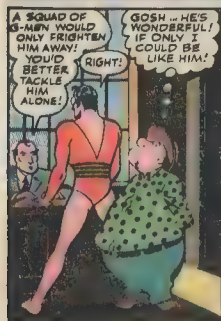
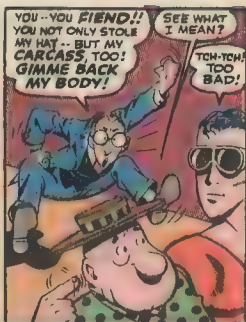
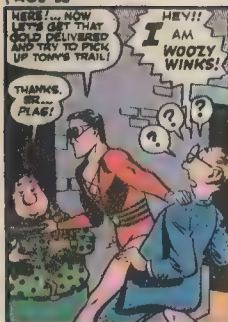
I'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO BE SOMEBODY FAMOUS! THIS MAY BE MY BIG CHANCE!... WONDER IF I REALLY COULD DO IT!



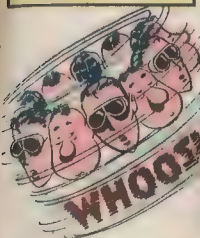








OH-OH! ... THERE IT GOES AGAIN... BLUER BODY IS NOW PLASTIC MAN AND PLASTIC MAN IS WOOLY! ... WHAT A MESS!!



SO LONG, BOYS! MIND IF I TAKE A SHORT CUT?

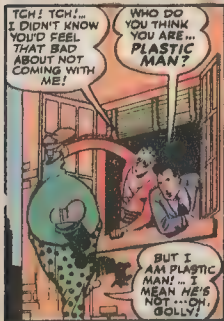
WOOLY! ... ARE YOU INSANE?



WHAT TH---??

I CANT...

STRETCH!



TCH! TCH! ... I DIDN'T KNOW YOU'D FEEL THAT ABOUT NOT COMING WITH ME!

WHO DO YOU THINK YOU ARE... PLASTIC MAN?

BUT I AM PLASTIC MAN! ... I MEAN HE'S NOT ... OH, GOLLY!



KEEP AN EYE ON HIM, CHIEF... THE POOR BOY'S DELIRIOUS! HE'S LIABLE TO TRY SUICIDE AGAIN!

BUT... BUT YOU'RE MAKING A TERRIBLE MISTAKE! ... HE'S NOT PLASTIC MAN!

YES, WE KNOW!



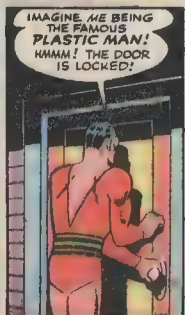
FOR THE LAST TIME, CHIEF... WILL YOU LISTEN TO REASON?

JOE! SEND UP A STRAIGHT JACKEN! A STRONG ONE! AND HURRY!



IN THE MEANTIME ...

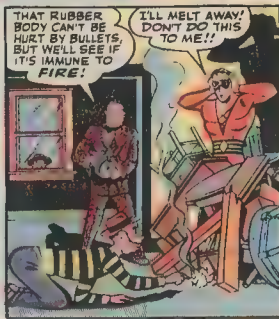
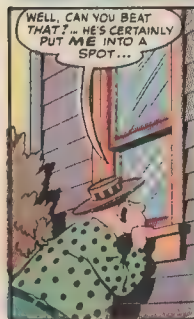
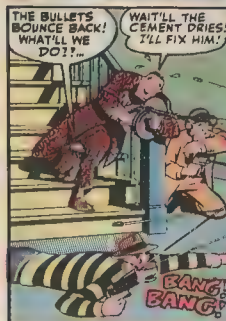
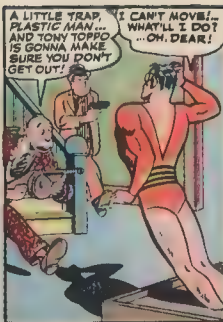
THAT MUST BE MISTER TOPPO'S HIDEOUT ... GOSH! THIS OUGHT TO BE EXCITING!

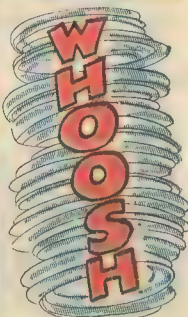
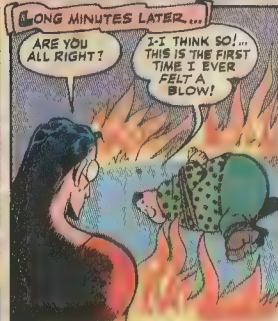
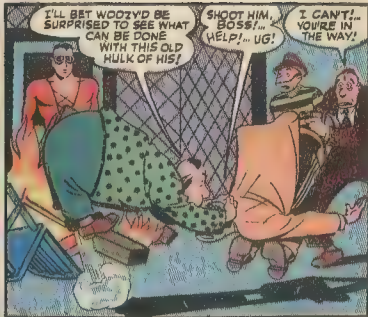
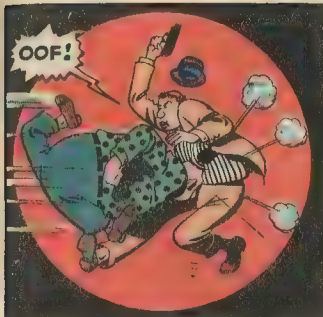


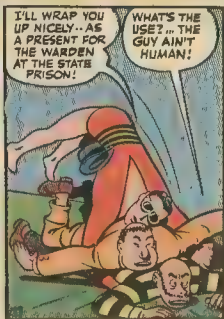
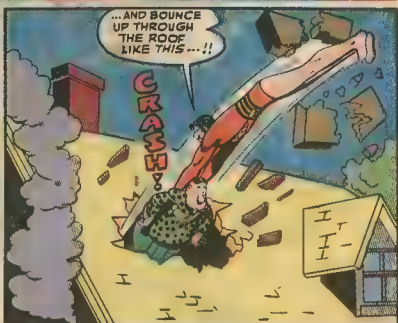
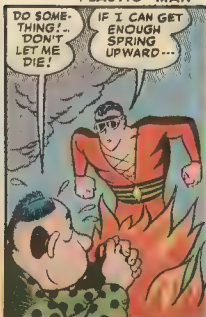
IMAGINE, HE BEING THE FAMOUS PLASTIC MAN! HMMM! THE DOOR IS LOCKED!

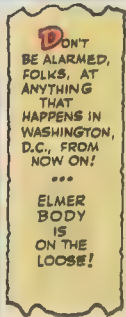
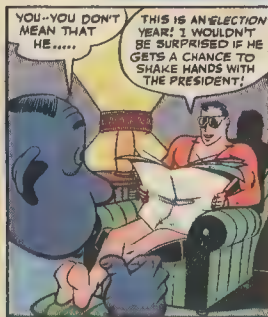
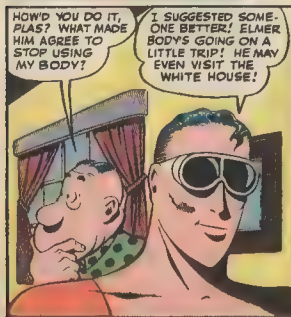


THAT DOESN'T PRESENT ANY PROBLEM FOR ME! ... NO WONDER PLASTIC MAN CLEANS UP ON CROOKS! IT'S EASY FOR HIM!



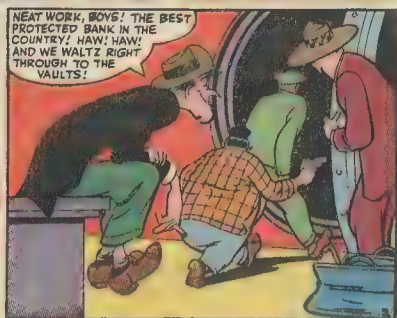
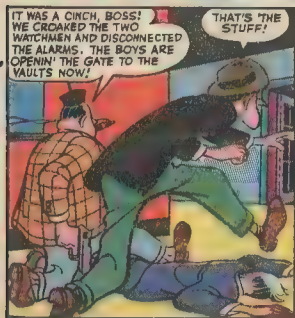
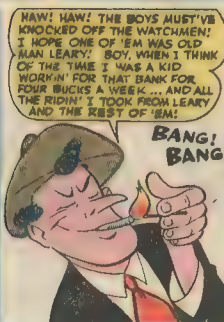
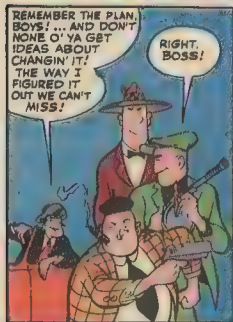
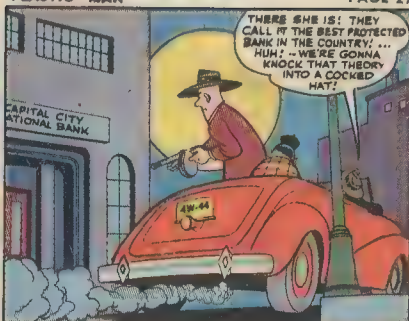
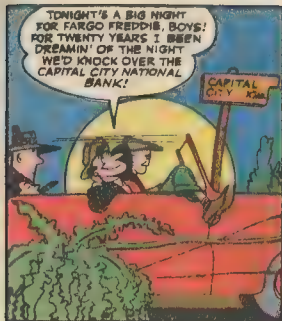




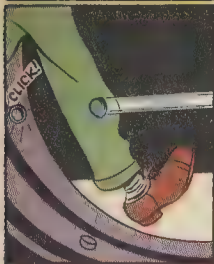


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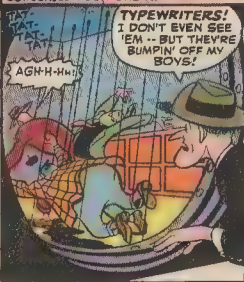




BUT AS FARGO FREDDIE'S MEN ADVANCE, THEY CROSS THE PATH OF AN ELECTRIC EYE CONCEALED IN THE WALL ...



AND SUDDENLY AUTOMATICALLY CONTROLLED MACHINE GUNS OPEN UP ON THEM FROM CONCEALED POSITIONS ...



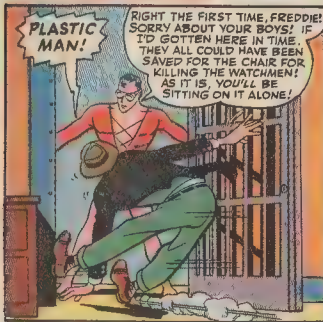
TYPEWRITERS!
I DON'T EVEN SEE 'EM -- BUT THEY'RE BUMPIN' OFF MY BOYS!

THE BEST PROTECTED BANK IN THE COUNTRY! ... GULP! ... MAYBE IT STILL IS! GULP! ... I COULDA BEEN KNOCKED OF WITH THE REST OF 'EM! ... I'D BETTER POWDER!



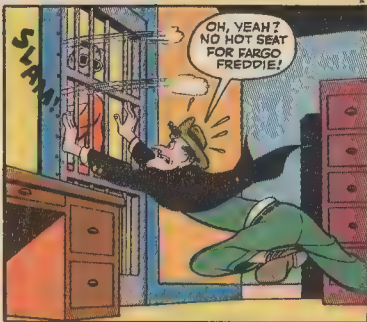
PLASTIC MAN!

RIGHT THE FIRST TIME, FREDDIE! SORRY ABOUT YOUR BOYS! IF I'D GOTTEN HERE IN TIME, THEY ALL COULD HAVE BEEN SAVED FOR THE CHAIR FOR KILLING THE WATCHMEN! AS IT IS, YOU'LL BE SITTING ON IT ALONE!

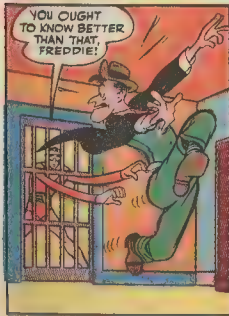


SLAM!

OH, YEAH? NO HOT SEAT FOR FARGO FREDDIE!



YOU OUGHT TO KNOW BETTER THAN THAT, FREDDIE!

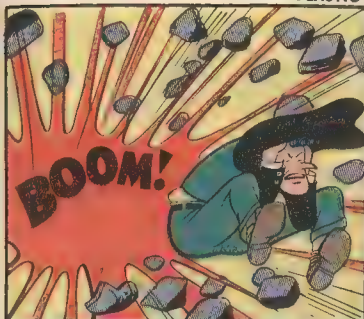


THE DYNAMITE THE BOYS BROUGHT IN WITH THEM! IT'S MY ONLY CHANCE!

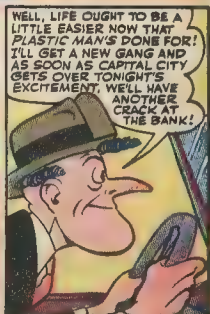
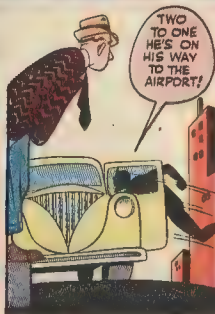
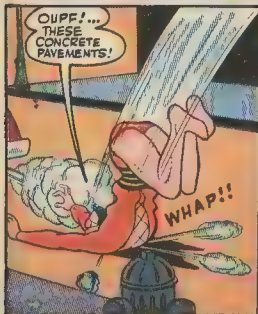
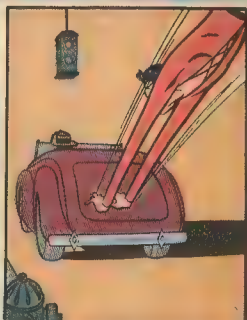


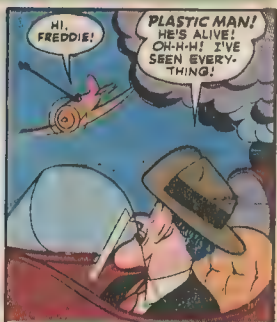
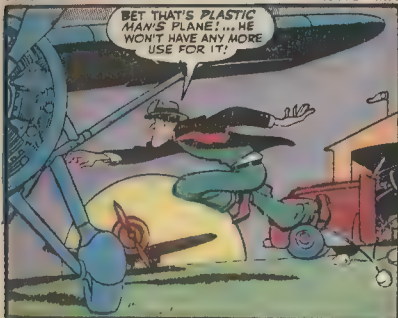
TRY GETTIN' OUTA THIS ONE, PLASTIC MAN!

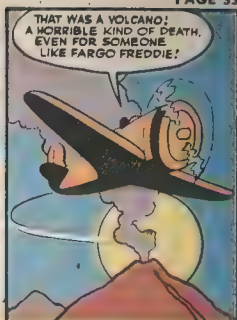




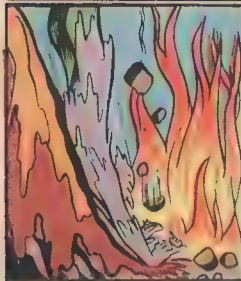
BUT FARGO FREDDIE DOESN'T RECKON WITH THE RESILIENCE OF PLASTIC MAN'S RUBBER BODY!







INTO THE VERY DEPTHS OF THE SEETHING VOLCANO, FREDDIE FALLS...FALLS...FALLS...

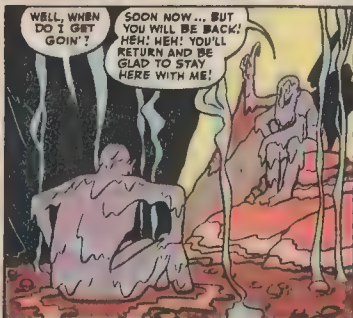
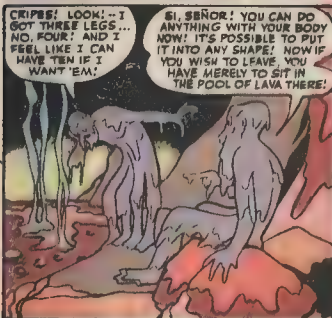
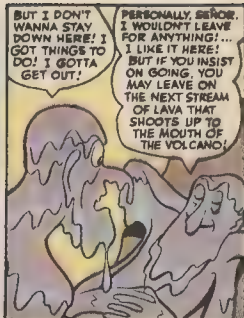


HEH! HEH! HEH! WELCOME, SENOR! WELCOME! I HAVEN'T HAD A VISITOR SINCE I CAME HERE!

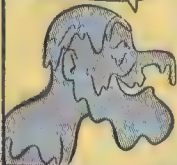


SEE, I HELP YOU UP!... HUMAN? PERHAPS: PERHAPS NOT! ONCE I WAS HUMAN, SENOR, BUT THAT WAS OVER FIVE HUNDRED YEARS AGO, BEFORE THE VOLCANO ERUPTED AND SWALLOWED ME AND MY HOME!





GUESS I'LL SIT DOWN AND WAIT FOR THE TRIP UP AGAIN, EH, POP? HEY, Y' KNOW THIS MIGHT NOT TURN OUT SO BAD! NOTHIN' CAN HURT ME! JUST LOOKIN' AT ME OUGHTTA FRIGHTEN AN ARMY AND I GOT PLENTY OF BURNIN' LAVA FOR WEAPONS! THINK O' WHAT I CAN DO TO PLASTIC MAN!



HERE I GO! S'LONG, POP!

YOU WILL BE BACK, SENOR! YOU WILL NOT LIKE IT IN THE COLD WORLD!



I'M OUT OF IT! HM... THAT FUNNY SMELL MUST BE FRESH AIR!



AS FARGO FREDDIE WALKS ACROSS COUNTRY TOWARD THE BORDER...

E-E-EAH! IT IS A FIEND...! RUN!

HAW! HAW! THE SIGHT OF ME SURE SCARED THOSE YOKELE!



AT THE BORDER...

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WHAT IS IT!

I--I DUNNO! IT MIGHT BE HUMAN --BUT I DOUBT IT!

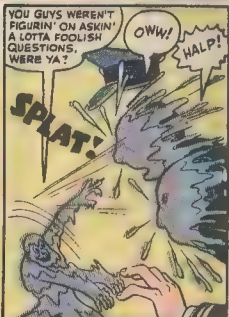


YOU GUYS WEREN'T FIGURIN' ON ASKIN' A LOTTA FOOLISH QUESTIONS, WERE YA?

OWW!

HALP!

SPLAT!



TSK! TSK!... DON'T THEY KNOW WOOD IS VERY CUMBUSTIBLE?

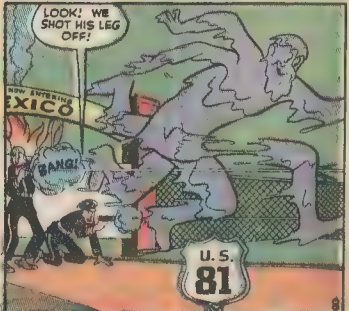


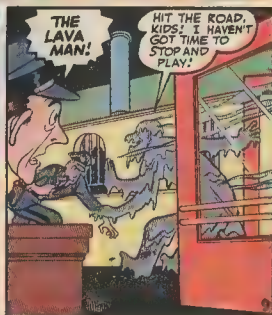
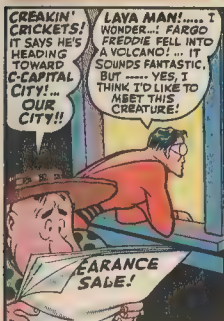
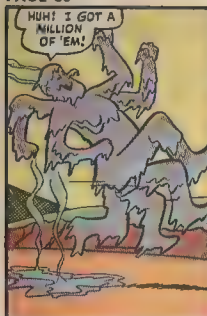
LOOK! WE SHOT HIS LEG OFF!

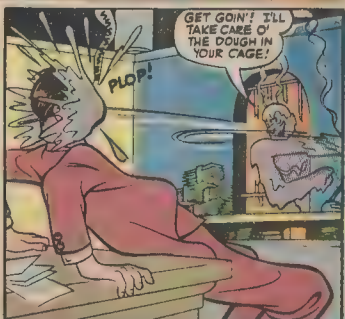
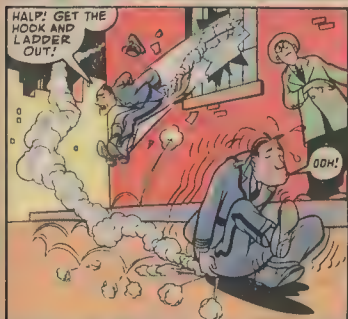
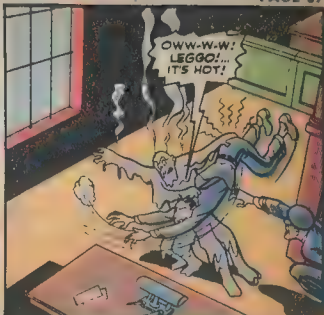
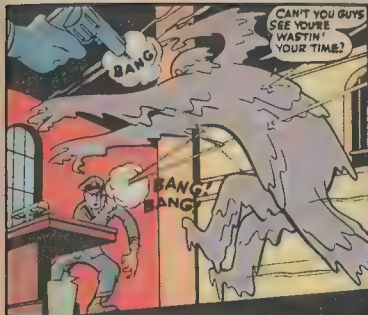
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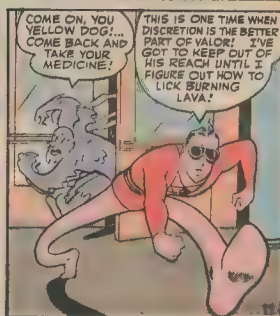
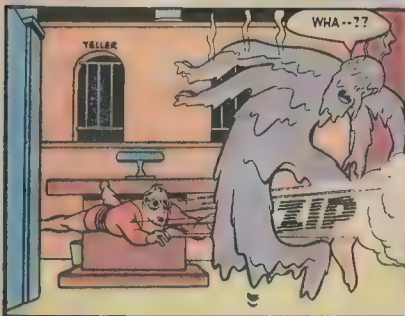
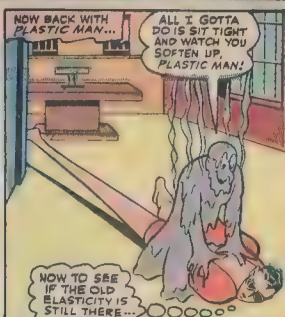
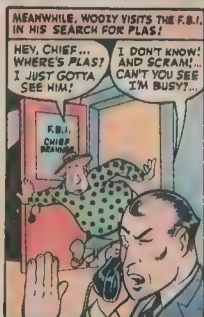
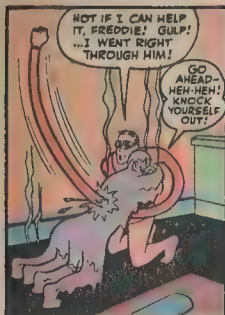
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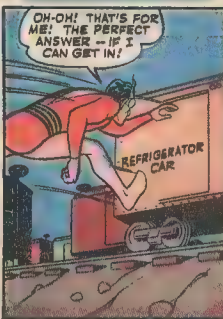
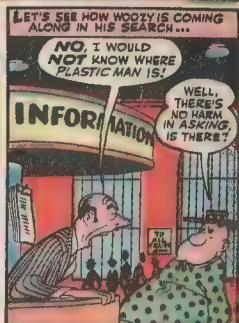
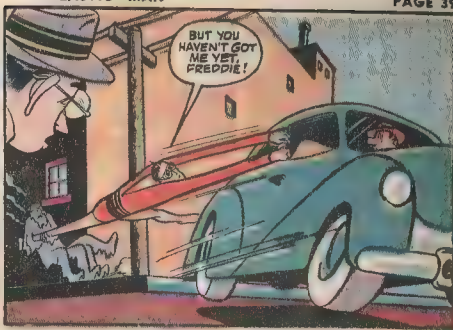
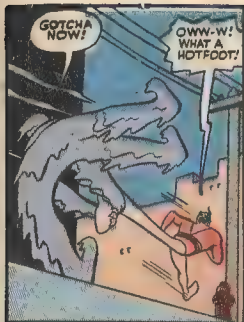
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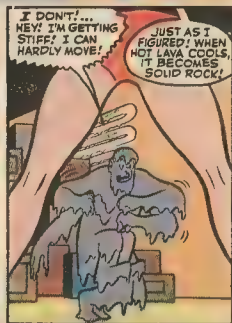
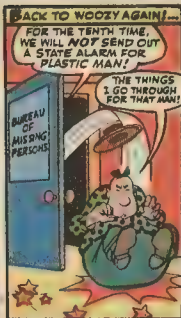


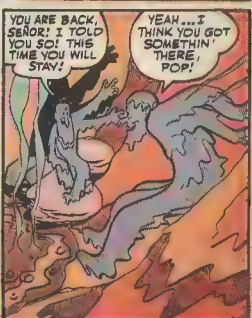
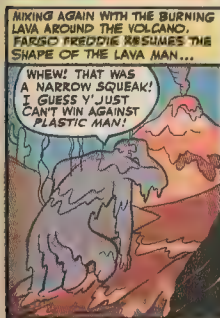
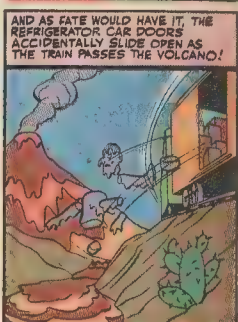
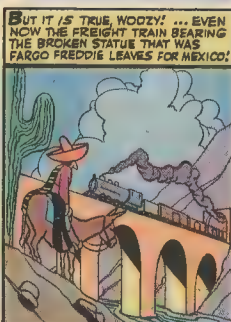
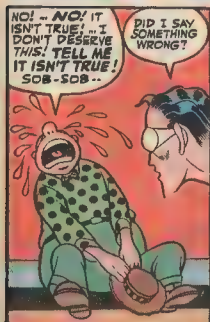




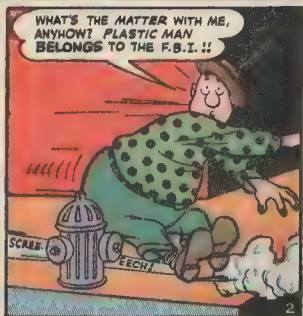
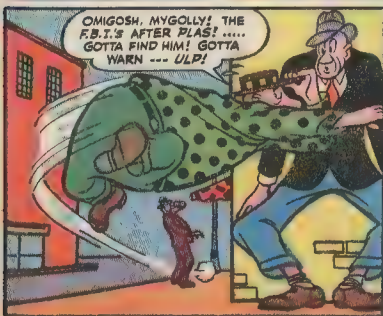
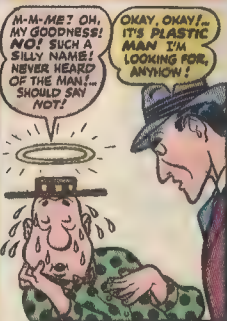
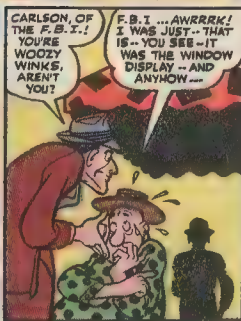


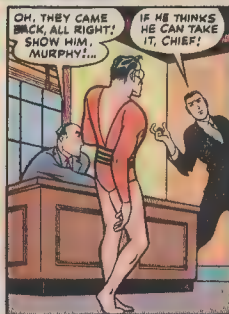
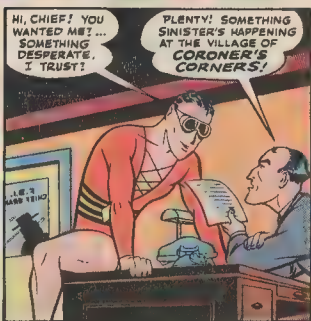
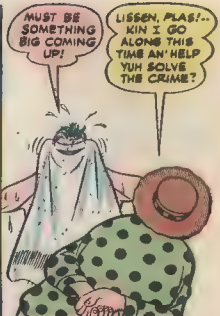


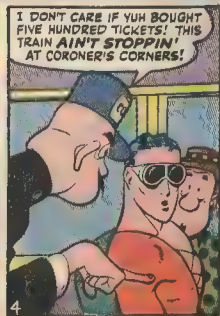
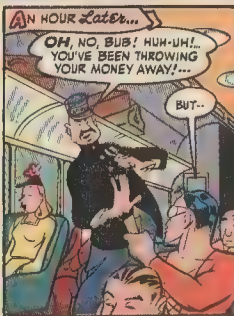
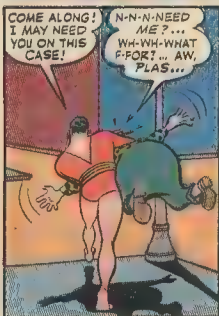
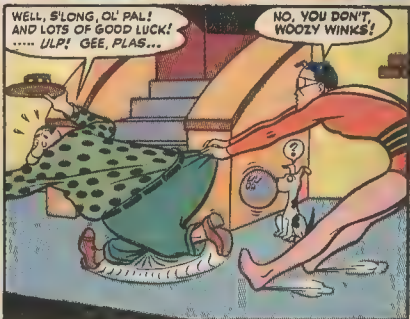
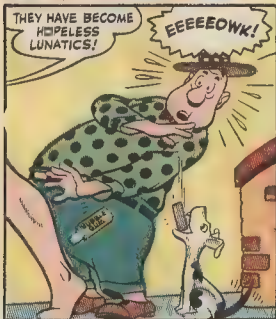
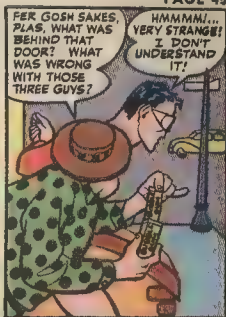
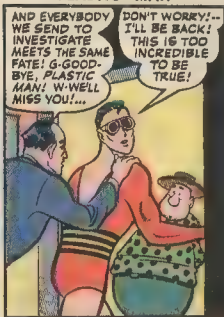


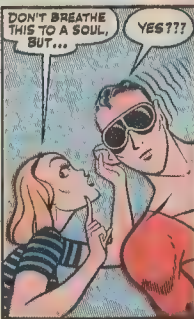
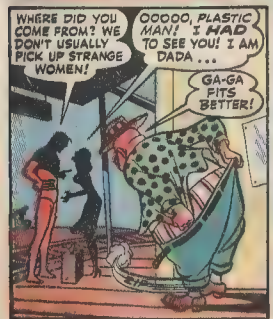
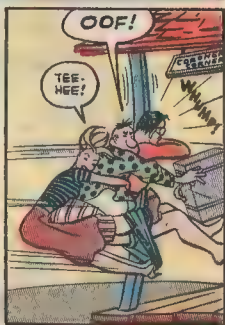
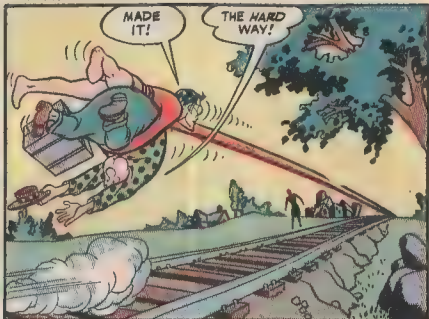


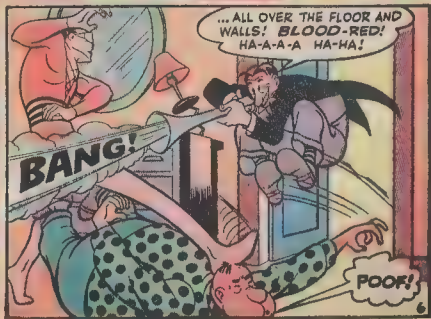
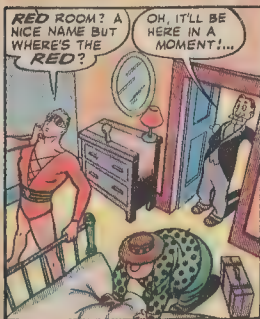
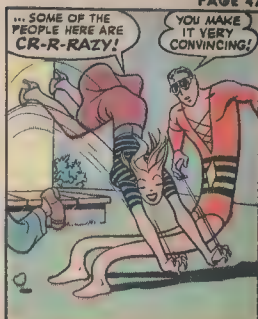


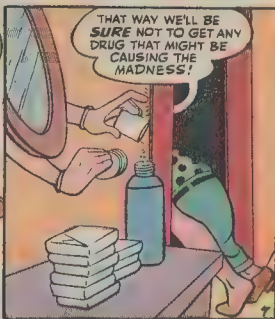
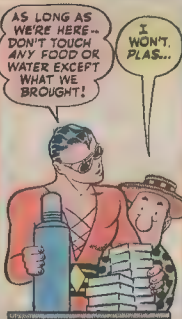
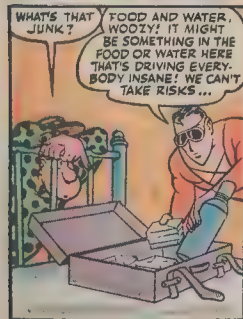
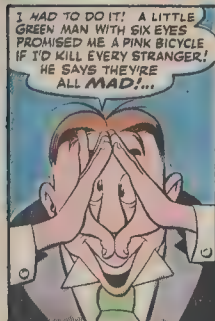
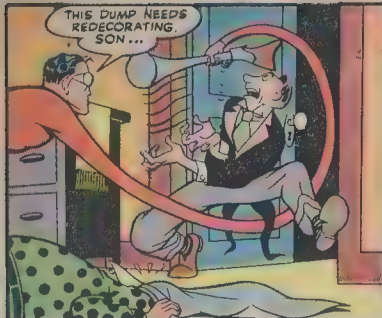


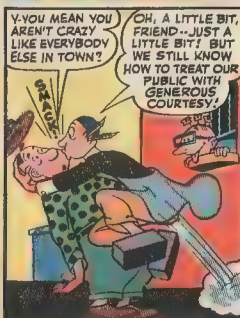
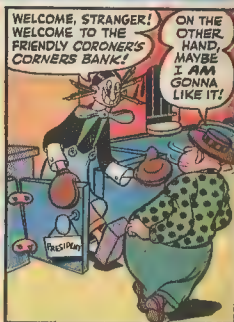
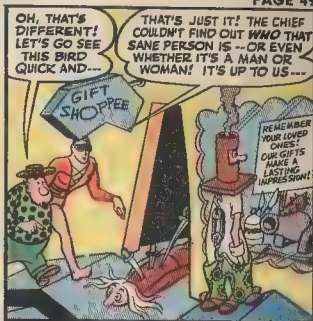
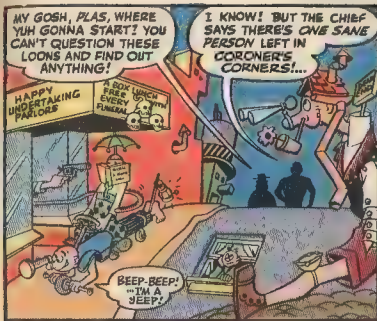


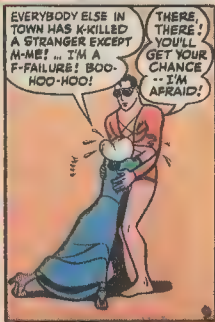
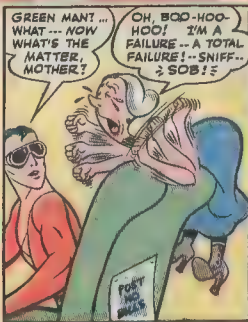
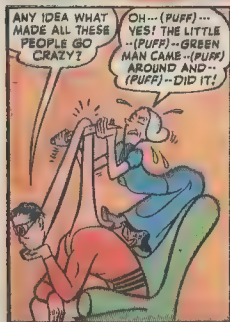
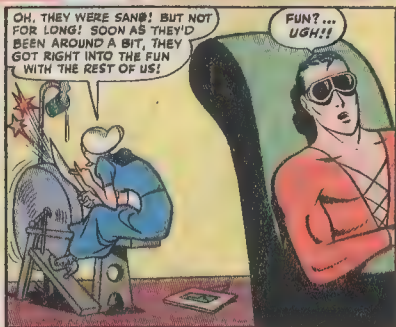
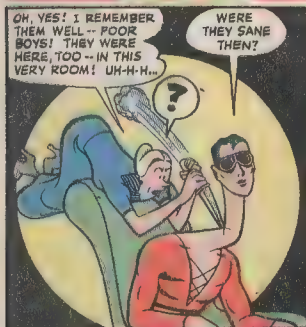
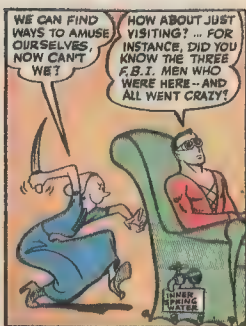
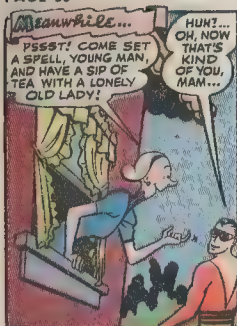


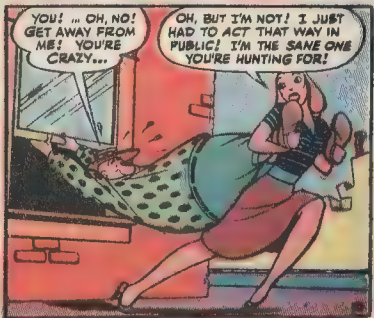
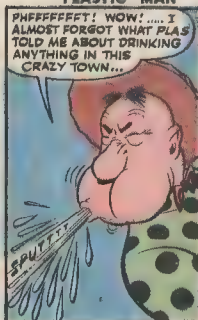
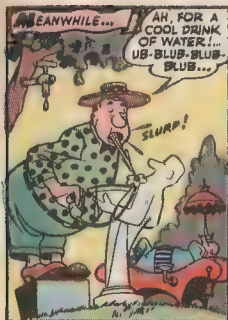


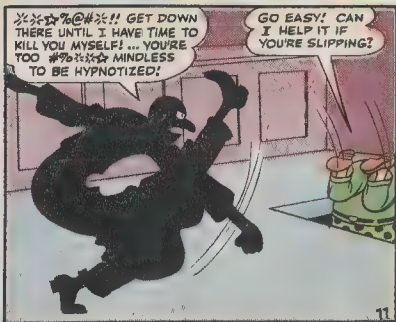


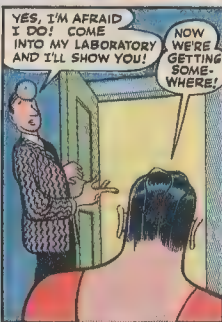
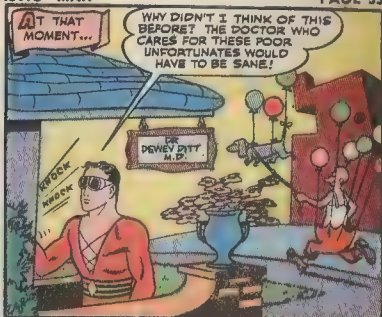
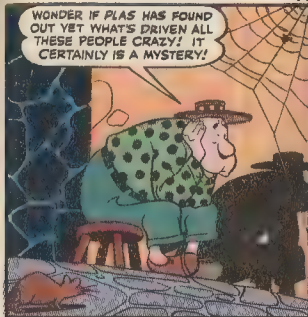


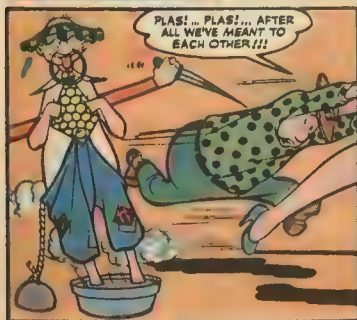
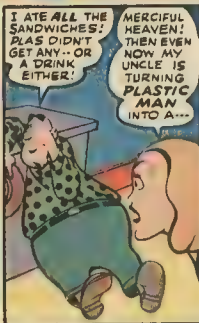
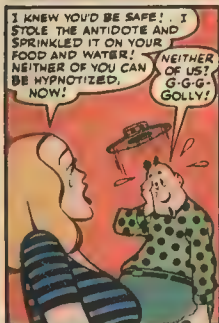
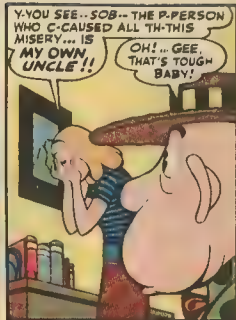
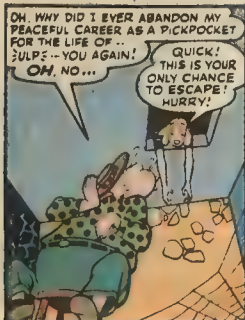


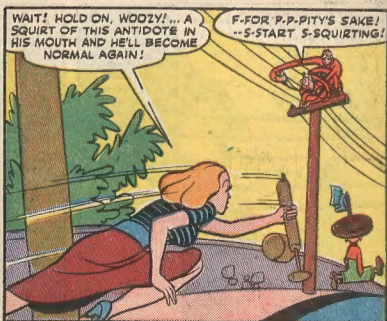
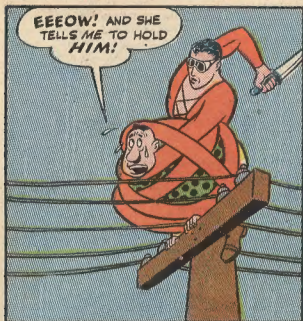
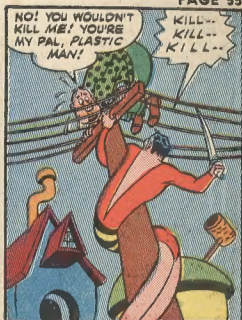
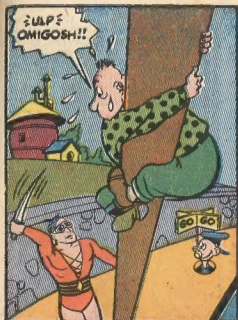


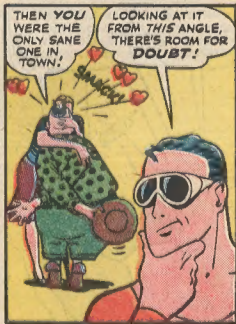
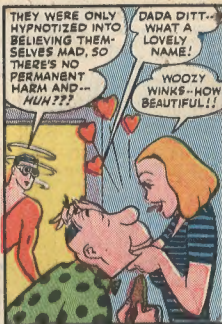
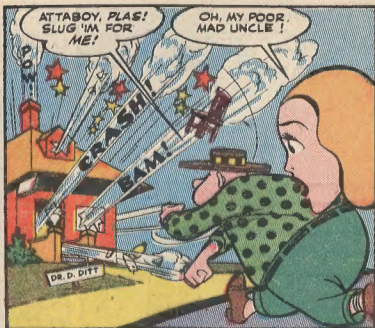
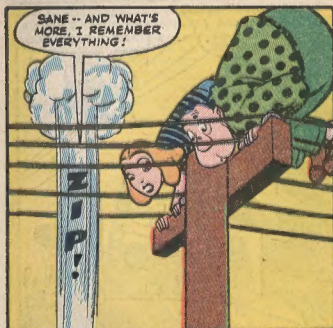
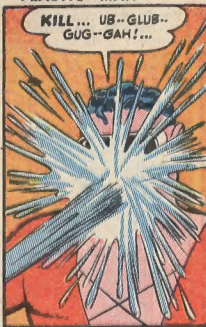












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